

## COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND CABLE

D.T.C. 15-4 July 27, 2016

Petition of Charter Communications to establish and adjust the basic service tier programming, equipment, and installation rates for the communities in Massachusetts served by Charter Communications that are subject to rate regulation.

## ORDER OF NOTICE

Charter Communications ("Charter") is required to publish the attached legal notice, both by newspaper publication and cablecasting. G.L. c. 166A, § 15; 207 C.M.R. §§ 2.02, 6.05. Charter shall publish the notice in a newspaper of general circulation in the affected cities and towns, once in each of two successive weeks, the first publication being not less than 14 days before the day of the hearing. 207 C.M.R. § 2.02.

Where Charter has cablecasting facilities within its control, it shall cablecast the legal notice at least twice a week, on separate days, during each of the two weeks preceding the hearing date at times most likely to reach the maximum viewing audience. *Id.* If Charter does not have cablecasting facilities within its control, it shall use its best efforts to cablecast the prescribed notice in conformance with the timeframe set forth above. *Id.* In addition, Charter shall provide actual notice to any person who has filed a request for notice with Charter.

Charter shall provide the Department of Telecommunications and Cable ("Department") with proof of appropriate notice of the hearing at least five days prior to the hearing date. Such proof shall include, at a minimum, a sworn statement that lists the newspaper(s) in which the legal notice appeared, the dates of newspaper publication, and the dates of cablecasting. Any proof of publication and cablecasting as well as sworn statements will be entered into the record in this proceeding.

By Order of the Department,

Sara Clark, Secretary

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